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TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1940

Moderator

HENRY L. FELKER

Selectmen

RICHARD HALE,	Term expires March, 1941
LEEMAN B. WORMHOOD,	Term expires March, 1942
ELOI A. ADAMS,	Term expires March, 1943

Town Clerk

FLORENCE G. ROWE

Treasurer

ANNABELLE F. SARGENT

Collector of Taxes

FRED E. GERRISH

Auditors

THOMAS J. LATON WILFRED L. CLARK

School Board

CLARENCE FELKER,	Term expires July 1, 1941
STELLA WENTWORTH,	Term expires July 1, 1942
C. PRESTON CAMPBELL,	Term expires July 1, 1943

Trustees of Jenkins Trust Fund

IRA V. CAVERLY,	Term expires March, 1941
HAROLD HAYES,	Term expires March, 1942
LEVI HAMEL,	Term expires March, 1943

Supervisors of the Check List

DOROTHY DODGE GEORGE McGUNNIGLE
CHARLES C. KNIBBS

WARRANT FOR TOWN MEETING

Town of Madbury

March 11, 1941

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Madbury, County of Strafford and State of New Hampshire qualified to vote in Town Affairs:—

You are herebly notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Madbury on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March, A. D., 1941 at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:—

ART. 1. To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year.

ART. 2. To choose a Selectman for the ensuing three years.

ART. 3. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

ART. 4. To choose a Collector of Taxes for the ensuing year.

ART. 5. To choose two Auditors for the ensuing year.

ART. 6. T choose a Trustee of Trust Funds for the ensuing three years.

ART. 7. To choose a Road Agent for one year under direct supervision of the Selectmen.

ART. 8. To choose all other necessary town officers.

ART. 9. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

ART. 10. To see what action the town will take as to acceptance of state aid for road construction: —To vote to raise $570.00 to be matched by $1,140.00 by the State for State Aid Road or, To vote to raise $257.17 to be matched by $1,028.67 by the State for Class V Roads.

ART. 11. To raise and appropriate for the issuance and distribution of printed matter and otherwise publicizing the resources and natural advantages of the town in cooperation with other towns coordinated in the Seacoast Regional Development Association, the sum of $30.00.

ART. 12. To see what action the Town will take on the proposed budget for the current year.

ART. 13. To see if Town will vote to discontinue that part of so called Concord road from the residence of John Smith to that of Chas. Knibbs.

ART. 14. To see if Town will allow the Selectmen to purchase a wing for the snow plow equipment, to be purchased from Town Maintenance winter appropriation.

ART. 15. To transact any other business which may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this seventeenth day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and forty-one.

RICHARD G. HALE,
LEEMAN B. WORMHOOD,
E. A. ADAMS,

Selectmen of Madbury.

A true copy attest:

RICHARD G. HALE,
LEEMAN B. WORMHOOD,
E. A. ADAMS,

Selectmen of Madbury.

School meeting to be called at 10.00 o'clock in the forenoon of March 11, 1941.

TOWN BUDGET FOR THE YEAR 1941

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Interest, dividends	$ 300 00	
Railroad tax	200 00	
Savings Bank tax	150 00	
Auto permits	600 00	
Outstanding taxes	1,223 83	
Cash on hand	307 69	
To be raised by taxation	8,846 69	
		$ 11,628 21

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES

Town officers' salaries	325 00	
Town officers' expenses	200 00	
Town Hall expenses	150 00	
Police	50 00	
Fire	100 00	
Health	10 00	
Vital statistics	1 00	
Town maintenance, summer	800 00	
Town maintenance, winter	1,200 00	
State aid construction	257 17	
Town poor	600 00	
Old Age assistance	400 00	
Interest	100 00	
Schools	4,405 04	
County tax	2,000 00	
Note	1,000 00	
Seacoast Regional	30 00	
		$ 11,628 21

1940 INVENTORY, TOWN OF MADBURY

Land and buildings	$327,955 00
Electric plants	16,271 00
Horses, 56	5,425 00
Mules, 1	50 00
Oxen, 2	150 00
Cows, 213	10,650 00
Other neat stock 23	575 00
Sheep, 34	170 00
Goats, 10	100 00
Fowls, 9,130	6,547 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks, 8	740 00
Stock in trade	1,600 00
Mills and machinery	1,200 00
199 poll taxes at $2.00	398 00
	$381,161 00

Total, exclusive of soldiers' exemptions and exemptions to blind	
Amount of taxes to be committed to collector, including poll taxes and national bank stock taxes	$ 9,536 31
Tax rate per hundred	$ 2 40

STATEMENT OF ASSETS

Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1941 (as Feb. 10)		$ 307 69
Outstanding taxes, 1940	$ 1,102 77	
Outstanding taxes, 1939	119 06	
Outstanding taxes, 1938	2 00	
		$ 1,223 83
Rent due from Town Hall		37 50
G. Peterman, damage R.R. bridge		40 52
		$ 1,609 54

STATEMENT OF LIABILITIES

Due Strafford Nat'l Bank, note	$ 1,000 00
Due School district, dog taxes	144 34
	$ 1,144 34
Assets excess liabilities	465 20
	$ 1,609 54

Due schools Feb. 1, 1941 to July 1, 1941, $1,987.55.

ANNABELLE F. SARGENT,

Treasurer.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Number of dog licenses issued:

1939	5		
1940	71		
Amount collected		$ 189.00	
Clerk's fee		15.20	
Total cash paid treasurer from Feb. 1, 1941 to January 31, 1941			$ 173.80

Number of auto permits issued:

1939	2		
1940	194		
Cash paid treasurer for 1939 permits			$ 3.53
Cash paid treasurer for 1940 permits			705.01

Number of marriages	1
Number of births	8
Number of deaths	3

FLORENCE G. ROWE,

Town Clerk.

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

Unredeemed taxes from tax sales for levies of:		
Fernald—Thomas heirs, 1939	$ 114.40	
DeMerritt—Stephen	.66	
		$ 115.06

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Levy of 1940

Debit

Property taxes	$ 9,044.84	
Poll taxes	398.00	
Bank Stock taxes	38.00	
Total debits		$ 9,480.84
Added taxes:		
Property taxes	$ 16.80	
Poll taxes	4.00	
Interest collected	.20	
		$ 21.00
		$ 9,501.84

Credit

Total remittance to Treasurer	$ 8,385.07	
Abatements	14.00	
Uncollected taxes as per collector's list	1,102.77	
Total credits		$ 9,501.84

Levy of 1936

Debit

Uncollected taxes as of February 1, 1941	$ 10.49	

Interest collected during fiscal year ending January 31, 1941		2 05	
Total debits			$ 12 54

Credit

Total remittance to Treasurer during fiscal year ending Jan. 31, 1941	$	7.62	
Abatements made during year		4.92	
Total credits			$ 12 54

Levy of 1937

Debit

Uncollected taxes as of February 1, 1941	$	6 50	
Total debits			$ 6.50

Credit

Total remittance to Treasurer during fiscal year ending January 31, 1941	$	2.00	
Abatements as listed		4.50	
Total credits			$ 6 50

Levy of 1938

Debit

Uncollected taxes as of February 1, 1941	$	263.73	
Interest collected during fiscal year ending January 31, 1941		28 36	
Total debits			$ 292 09

Credit

Total remittance to Treasurer during fiscal year ending January 31, 1941	$	282.80	

Abatements made during year	7 29	
Uncollected taxes as per collector's list	2 00	
Total credits		$ 292 09

Levy of 1939

Debit

Uncollected taxes as of February 1, 1941	$ 997 13	
Interest collected during fiscal year ending January 31, 1941	38 49	
Total debits		$ 1,035 62

Credit

Total remittance to Treasurer during fiscal year ending January 31, 1941	$ 906 91	
Abatements made during year	9 65	
Uncollected taxes as per collector's list	119 06	
Total credits		$ 1,035 62

SUMMARY OF TAX SALE ACCOUNT

Levy of 1939

Debit

Taxes sold to Town:

Taxes	$ 206 83	
Interest to date of sale	13 77	
Costs to date of sale	6 00	
Total amount of sale		$ 226 60
Interest collected after sale	4 14	
Redemption costs	50	
Total debits		$ 231 24

Credit

Total remittance to Treasurer account redemptions	$ 116 18	
Unredeemed taxes	115 06	
		$ 231 24

I hereby certify that these lists showing the name and amount due from each delinquent taxpayer, as of January 31, 1941, on account of the tax levy of 1940, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRED E. GERRISH,

Tax Collector.

OUTSTANDING POLL TAXES

1938			
Mabel Hanscom	$ 2 00		
1939			
Mabel Hanscom	2 00		
Charles J. Pelletier, Jr.	2.00		
		$	4 00
1940			
Alfred W. Baxter	2 00		
Cora Canney	2.00		
Herman Canney, Jr.	2 00		
Herman Canney	2 00		
Elmer Canney	2 00		
Mabel Canney	2 00		
Lena Cayer	2 00		
Ernest Colprit	2 00		
Helen Colprit	2 00		
John Callahan	2.00		
George Daily	2 00		
Katherine Daily	2 00		
Albert Dewhirst	2 00		
Helen Dewhirst	2.00		
Frank H. Drew	2 00		
Harold Day	2 00		
Arthur Fernald	2 00		
William Fernald	2 00		
Helen Fernald	2 00		
Elizabeth Fullington	2.00		
Ida Hanscom	2 00		
John H. Hanscom	2 00		
Mabel Hanscom	2.00		

Samuel Hanscom	2.00	
J. Harold Hanscom	2.00	
David A. Hayes	2.00	
Harold H. Hayes	2.00	
Irene Hayes	2.00	
George S. Horr	2.00	
Evelyn Hoyt	2.00	
David Jewell	2.00	
James Locke	2.00	
Donat Martel	2.00	
Marion Martel	2.00	
Edward Price, Jr.	2.00	
Rosa Alice Price	2.00	
Earl Riley	2.00	
Rita M. Riley	2.00	
William Savacol	2.00	
Lillian Savacol	2.00	
Ruth Skinner	2.00	
Elsie Snow	2.00	
Hudson Snow	2.00	
Charles Tibbetts	2.00	
Sarah Tibbetts	2.00	
	$	90.00

ABATEMENTS

1936

Alfred Canney	$	4.92

1937

Alfred Canney		4.50

1938

Lizzie Allen		2.43
Charles Hall		2.43
Carrie Kay		2.43

1939

Charles Hall	55	
Carrie Kay	55	
Mrs. Allen Moore	55	
Theodore Dewhirst	2 00	
Charles J. Pelletier	2 00	
Lillian Pelletier	2 00	
Cora Canney	2.00	
	$	9.65

OUTSTANDING TAXES

January 31, 1941

1939

Thomas Fernald Heirs, to Town of Madbury	$ 114.40	
Stephen DeMerritt, to Town of Madbury	66	
	$	115 06

1940

Lillian Bodycote	$ 22.50	
Elmer Canney	14.40	
Mabel Canney	60.00	
Archie and Lena Cayer	75.00	
James Daily Est.	72.00	
Clayton Hodge	16.00	
Henry L. Felker	84.60	
Arthur Fernald	9.00	
Thomas Fernald Heirs to Town of Madbury	88.80	
Oscar Fullington	44.40	
Hattie Mathew	4 80	
John H. Hanscom	48.00	
David A. Hayes	21 60	

Daniel Hoyt	9 25	
Harold H. Hayes	109 80	
Elizabeth Knox	48 00	
James Locke	54 00	
Donat Martel	39 60	
Arthur McCormish	19 20	
Mary Norman	26 40	
Chester Bryson	4 32	
Stephen DeMerritt, to Town of Madbury	72	
James Dodge	8 21	
Charles George	2 40	
Charles Hall	60	
Fred Janelle	3 60	
Carrie Kay	60	
George Leathers	4 80	
Llewellyn Lothrop	24 00	
John A. Nute	19 20	
Thomas Shahean	8 40	
Elizabeth Snell Est.	28 80	
Gilbert Star	19 20	
Ralph Towle	1 68	
Charles W. Twombly	2 40	
Seth W. Sherburne	16 49	
		$ 1,012 77

ABATEMENTS

1940

Harold Clough	$ 2 00	
Lumina Dube	2 00	
Clara Price	2 00	
Schanda	2 00	
Henry F. Tibbetts	2 00	
Carlton Wentworth	2 00	
Dorothy Wentworth	2 00	
		$ 14 00

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

Summary of Receipts

From local taxes:

1940 Bank taxes	$ 38.00	
1940 taxes	8,346.87	
1939 taxes	868.42	
1938 taxes	254.44	
1937 taxes	2.00	
1936 taxes	5.57	
		$ 9,515.30

From State Treasurer:

Savings Bank tax	$ 174.42	
Railroad tax	204.79	
Interest and dividends distribution	140.19	
Refunds, fire	16.40	
Use of plow	1.75	
		$ 537.55

From Other Local Sources:

Dog licenses	$ 173.80
Auto permits	708.54
Rent of Town Hall	66.00
Interest on taxes	69.10
Refund G. W. Hodgdon est.	
Refund Old Age assistance	655.24
Refund, shingling, labor '37	24.00
Transportation to and from Boston	20.00
Refund, Mabel Pendleton, on account board of boys	4.00

Refund, O. W. Garside, plowing drive	3 00	
Refund, J. S. Elliott, one-half oiling Durham Road	66 00	
Gravel sold	53 35	
		$ 1,843 03
Temporary loans		4,000 00
		$ 15,895 88
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1940 (as of Feb. 10)		197 84
		$ 16,093 72

Summary of Payments

General Government:		
Town officers' salaries	$	339 92
Town officers' expenses		151 60
*Town Hall		73 08
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police		42 21
*Fire		107 49
*Dog-damage and expenses		29 46
Highways and Bridges:		
Summer		1,370 72
Winter		1,538 10
Charities:		
Town poor		554 79
County poor, O. A. A.		312 55
Parks		8 00

Publicity:		
Seacoast Regional development	30 00	
Interest:		
Interest A P	106 04	
State of New Hampshire:		
State Aid construc'n (yellow)	415 34	
Indebtedness Payments:		
Temporary loans	4,000 00	
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
County tax	1,960 86	
Schools	4,745 87	
		$ 15,786 03

Detail of Payments

Detail 1—SALARIES

Henry Felker, moderator 1940	6 00	
Wilfred Clark, auditor 1939	2 50	
Thomas J. Laton, auditor 1939	2 50	
Richard G. Hale, selectman	25 00	
Leeman B. Wormhood, chair.	50 00	
Eloi A. Adams	25 00	
Florence G. Rowe, clerk	15 00	
Florence G. Rowe, fees	52 00	
Annabelle F. Sargent, treasurer	40 00	
Fred E. Gerrish, collector	97 92	
Dorothy A. Dodge, supervisor	8 00	
Charles Knibbs, supervisor	8 00	
George McGunnigle, supervisor	8 00	
		$ 339 92

Detail 2—TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

J. B. Page Printing Co., town reports, 1939	69 68	
J. B. Page Printing Co., ballots and road notices	4 10	
U. S. Auto and Truck Guide,—1939-40-41	12 45	
John Morrison, officers' bonds	12 50	
Edson C. Eastman, treasurer's cash book	5 10	
Strafford Nat'l Bank, treasurer's Deposit stamp	50	
Florence G. Rowe, postage	2 00	
Fred E. Gerrish, postage, notices	8 71	
Roscoe Simpson, Town meeting lunch	16 00	
Roscoe Simpson, Election lunch for checkers	7 75	
Reg. of Deeds, transfer cards	3 40	
Wheeler & Clark, tax col. book	2 33	
Wheeler & Clark, check lists	4 28	
L. B. Wormhood, tel. & postage	1 40	
Annabelle F. Sargent, telephone and supplies	1 40	
	$	151 60

Detail 3—TOWN HALL

Nelson Bolstridge, janitor	$ 53 00	
Twin State Gas & Electric Co., current	20 08	
	$	73 08

Detail 4—POLICE

George A. Sargent, services and mileage	40.00

J. H. Seavey, supplies	2 21	
		$ 42 21

Detail 5—FIRE

Dover Fire Dept., donation for services	25 00	
Harold Loveren, Durham dept., donation for services	25 00	
State of New Hampshire Forestry Dept., equipment	24 54	
John H. Sanders, transportation of equipment fr. freight	2 15	
Hayes pasture fire:		
John H. Sanders, truck, equipment and labor	1 80	
Harold Hayes, labor	40	
Kingman Brown, labor	40	
Wendall Wynot, Jr., labor	40	
Lionel Martel, labor	40	
Fred Ross, labor	40	
Russell Ross, labor	40	
Raymond Ross, labor	40	
Wesley Ross, labor	40	
Richard Hale, labor	40	
L. B. Wormhood, Jr., labor	40	
Perkins—Miles woods fire:		
J. H. Sanders, truck and labor	3 40	
George A. Sargent, labor	2 80	
George L. Sargent, labor	2 80	
George Tibbetts, labor	2 00	
Edwin Lindsay, labor	1 60	
E. W. Putney, Jr., labor	80	
Harold Day, labor	80	
Ruth Day, labor	80	

Wally McEthiney, labor	80	
George Brown, labor	80	
Wm. Varney, labor	40	
Jess Gangwer, labor	80	
Goss fire:		
John H. Sanders, transportation and labor	90	
George A. Sargent, labor	80	
George L. Sargent, labor	80	
Coté fire:		
John H. Sanders, truck, labor	1 10	
George A. Sargent, labor	80	
George L. Sargent, labor	80	
Edward Lindsay, labor	80	
Wm. Freeman, labor	80	
	$	107 49

Detail 6—DAMAGE AND EXPENSE OF DOGS

Wheeler & Clark, tags and supplies	6 46	
John H. Sanders, disposing of dog from highway	2 00	
John Fernald, damage to sheep	16 00	
Geo. A. Sargent, fees	5 00	
	$	29 46

Detail 7—HIGHWAYS, Summer

Scale Wages—Labor per hour 40c
Truck and man per hour—90c
Team and man per hour—80c

Free Press Pub. Co., road sheets	$	14 60

E. E. Blake, sharpening tools	2.25	
P. I. Perkins Co., repairing parts for road machine	25.10	
M. & E. Trans. Co., exp., parts for road machine	1 54	
S. W. Sherburne, plank for Drew Bridge	6.90	
E. J. York, supplies Coté Bridge	76.21	
City of Dover, cold patch	40.00	
J. Herbert Seavey, spikes, Coté Bridge	2.50	
J. Herbert Seavey, paint, Durham Bridge	3 60	
E. J. York, lumber Durham Bridge	3.92	
J. Herbert Seavey, st. brooms and shovels	4 80	
John Rowe, paint	2.70	
Amer. Tar Co., oil, Durham rd.	132 00	
March 15—Patrol of roads, closed Felker Road and moved plow from Town shed to J. Sanders		
John H. Sanders, man & truck	90	
John H. Sanders, man	.80	
George A. Sargent, man	.60	
Lorenzo Milton, man	.80	
	——————$	3 10

April 5—Fixing mud holes, scraping road Mill Hill

John Sanders, man & truck	16 20	
John Sanders, man	7 60	
Albert Hayes, man & truck	16 20	
Geo. A. Sargent, man	7.20	
Clayton Dodge, man	7.20	
Wm. Freeman, man	7 20	

Irving Hayes, man	7 20	
David A. Hayes, man	7 20	
	—$	76 00

April 12—Sraping road and filling mud holes —cleaning brush

John Sanders, man & truck	32 85	
John Sanders, man	1 20	
Albert Hayes, man	12 15	
David A. Hayes, man	5 40	
Irving Hayes, man	14 60	
Wm. Freeman, man	6 40	
Clayton Dodge, man	2 00	
	—$	74 60

Apr. 19—Dragging Cayer-Emerson roads,—gravel to Emerson-Drew--Dube roads—draining mud holes

John Sanders, rd. meet., Durham	3 20	
John Sanders, man & truck	22 50	
John Sanders, man	40	
Albert Hayes, man and truck	8 10	
Irving Hayes, man	10 00	
Carroll Varney, man	4 00	
David A. Hayes, man	3 60	
Wm. Freeman, man	3 60	
Geo. A. Sargent, man	3 20	
	—$	58 60

Apr. 26—Scraping H. Hayes-Felker-Hanscom-R. Hayes-Cayer & Mill Hill rds. Reset posts, repaired guard rails, drained mud holes, cleaned culverts and fixed culvert below Canney's

John H. Sanders, man & truck	19 80	
Irving Hayes, man	8 80	

Carroll Varney, man	8.00	
Benjamin Hayes, man	1.00	
	——————$	37 60

May 3, 1940—Posting Cote Bridge—Scraping Dube-Nute's to Felkers, Cayer-Drew and Daily roads

John Sanders, man & truck	18.45	
John Sanders, man	1.00	
Irving Hayes, man	8.20	
Carroll Varney, man	4.00	
	——————$	31 65

May 31—Cleaning up Memorial Parks—gravel to Dube rd.

John Sanders, man & truck	1 80	
Wm. Sanders, man with team	6 40	
Geo. A. Sargent, man	.80	
Harry Locke, man	8 80	
Chester Begley, man	8.40	
	——————$	26 20

June 7—Gravel to Dube rd. washout and to entrance of Pudding Hill rd.

John Sanders, man & truck	3.60	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	1.60	
	——————$	5.20

July 12—Work on Durham Road

John H. Sanders, man & truck.	27.90	
John H. Sanders, man	1 60	
Albert Hayes, truck	13 00	
Irving Hayes, man	1.60	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	12 00	
James Tibbetts, man	11 40	
Gordon Dodge, man	9 20	

Chester Begley, man	12 00	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	12 00	
Benjamin Hayes, man	12 00	
Harry Locke, man	3 60	
Clayton Dodge, man	4 00	
Wilfred Belanger, man on grader	5 70	
State Highway Garage, grader	13 50	
	——————$	139 50

July 19—Repairing Drew Bridge & Durham road

John H. Sanders, man & truck	18 00	
Albert Hayes, truck	3 00	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	8 00	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	8 00	
Harry Locke, man	8 00	
Benjamin Hayes, man	9 60	
Gordon Dodge, man	8 00	
Chester Begley, man	1 60	
James Tibbetts, man	6 00	
Clayton Dodge, man	4 00	
Wilfred Belanger, man	14 10	
State Highway Garage, grader	28 50	
	——————$	116 80

July 26—Miscellaneous cleaning-up & hauling gravel and loam

John Sanders, man & truck	7 20	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	3 20	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	3 20	
Harry Locke, man	3 20	
Chester Begley, man	3 20	
Wm. Freeman, man	3 20	
	——————$	23 20

Aug. 2—Patching Durham Road—cleaning storm debris, fixing wash-outs

John Sanders, man & truck	32.40	
John Sanders, man	1.20	
Harry Locke, man	15.40	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	13.60	
Arthur McCormish, man	2.20	
James Tibbetts, man	9.60	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	8.00	
	$	82.40

Aug. 9—Cleaning up shoulders on SAY piece Cote Bridge repairs

John Sanders, man & truck	17.10	
John Sanders, man	2.80	
Harry Locke, man	10.40	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	10.40	
James Tibbetts, man	10.40	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	10.40	
	$	61.50

Aug. 16—Cote Bridge

John Sanders, man & truck	6.30	
John Sanders, man	5.20	
Harry Locke, man	8.00	
George Tibbetts, man	8.00	
James Tibbetts, man	8.00	
	$	35.50

Aug. 23—Cote Bridge

John Sanders, man and truck	2.70	
John Sanders, man	2.00	
Harry Locke, man	3.20	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	3.20	
James Tibbetts, man	3.20	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	3.20	
	$	17.50

July 26—Scraping road, patching and rolling

Roscoe Simpson, man & truck (includes roller hire, $2.00)	12 60	

Sept. 13—Durham Bridge repairs

John Sanders, man & truck	5 40	
John Sanders, man	1 20	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	3 60	
Harry Locke, man	3 60	
James Tibbetts, man	3 60	
Albert Hayes, man	3 60	
	$	21 00

Sept. 20—Durham Bridge repairs

John Sanders, man & truck	3 60	
John Sanders, man	40	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	2 00	
Harry Locke, man	2 00	
James Tibbetts, man	2 00	
Albert Hayes, man	2 00	
	$	12 00

Sept. 27—Burning brush at gravel bank

John Sanders, man	1 60	
Geo. A. Sargent, man	1 60	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	1 60	
James Tibbetts, man	1 60	
George Tibbetts, man	1 60	
	$	8 00

Oct. 18—Dube Road, gravel, R. Hale and J. Sanders donated use of trucks and drivers

Geo. A. Sargent, man	6 40
George L. Sargent, man	6 40
Geo. Tibbetts, man	6 40

James Tibbetts, man	6.40	
Harry Locke, man	6.40	
David A. Hayes, man	6.40	
Albert Hayes, man	3.20	
Albert Hayes, man & truck	7.20	
	$	48.80

Oct. 25—Hauled gravel for sanding tar, Madbury Road, patching, sweeping, cutting bushes, etc.

John Sanders, man & truck	14.40	
John S. Elliott, man & truck	7.20	
Geo. A. Sargent, man	1.80	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	6.40	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	6.40	
James Tibbetts, man	6.40	
Wm. Freeman, man	6.40	
Harry Locke, man	4.60	
David A. Hayes, man	4.20	
Albert Hayes, man	1.40	
	$	59.20

Nov. 1—Madbury, Durham Rd., shoulders, driveways and brush dragging tar & sand

John Sanders, man & truck	20.25	
Harry Locke, man	7.60	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	10.00	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	9.00	
Wm. Freeman, man	4.40	
James Tibbetts, man	3.20	
David A. Hayes, man	3.20	
Albert Hayes, man	3.20	
Clayton Dodge, man	3.20	
Willard Rowe, man	1.40	
	$	65.45

Nov. 15—Mill Hill Dd., over allowance, hauling gravel and sanding for tar

John Sanders, man & truck	3 60	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	8 80	
Harry Locke, man	7 80	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	7 40	
Gordon Dodge, man	5 00	
David A. Hayes, man	3 20	
Geo. A. Sargent, man	1 60	
Nelson Bolstridge, man	80	
	$	38 20
	$	1,370 72

Detail 8—SNOW REMOVAL AND SANDING

Privately maintained plows, $3.00 per hr. with driver
Town plow on Hopey truck, $2.00 per hr. with driver
Trucks for sanding, 90c per hr. with driver
Mr. Miles' truck, $1.20 per hr. with driver
Labor, man, 40c per hour

E. L. Miles, sand	gratis
E. L. Miles, sand	40 60
E. E. Blake, repair of plow	2 00
Farm Service Co., road salt	44 50
R. C. Hazelton, 2 edges and bolts for plow	20 80
Hopey's Garage, scraping and paint plow	12 00
Hopey's Garage, red lead for painting plow	4 35
John Sanders, tel. Amer. Tar Co.	60
J. Herbert Seavey, 4 steel shovels	2 67

WEEKLY PAY ROLLS

1940, Feb. 12—Sanding roads

Ernest Colprit, man and truck	3 60	
George Sargent, man	1 60	
James Tibbetts, man	1 20	
	$	6 40

Feb. 12—Removing ice, Demerritt cor. and trucking, sanding icy roads

John H. Sanders, man & truck	13 05	
Lorenzo Milton, man	5 80	
George A. Sargent, man	4 40	
Clayton Dodge, man	4 40	
Nelson Bolstridge, man	5 60	
	$	33 25

Feb. 16—Plowing and sanding prior to storm

John H. Sanders, man & plow	48 00	
John H. Sanders, man & truck	14 40	
John H. Sanders, man	1 20	
Ernest Colprit, man & truck	4 50	
Ernest Colprit, man & plow	27 00	
Ernest Colprit, man	80	
Walter Colprit, man	8 20	
Lorenzo Milton, man	12 80	
Nelson Bolstridge, man	4 60	
George A. Sargent, man	1 60	
Harold Jones, man and plow	33 23	
Harold Jones, man and truck	6 20	
Etalo Cecchetti, man	7 20	
	$	126 70

Feb. 23—Plowing, sanding, gravel to culvert near Canney's

John H. Sanders, man & plow	45 00	
John H. Sanders, man & truck	1 35	

John H. Sanders, man, shoveling	1 60	
Ernest Colprit, man & plow	30 00	
Ernest Colprit, man & truck	90	
Ernest Colprit, man, shoveling	1 20	
Harold Jones, man & plow	15 90	
Harold Jones, man and truck	.45	
Lorenzo Milton, man	7 40	
Clayton Dodge, man	4 20	
Walter Colprit, man	6 40	
Irving Hayes, man	1 20	
George Sargent, man	5 00	
Etalo Cecchetti, man	60	
Irving Colprit, man	1 20	
	—$	122 40

Feb. 29

Harold Jones, man & plow	33 23	
Mar. 2—Hauling sand to sheds from Miles bank, sanding		
John H. Sanders, man & truck	2 70	
John H. Sanders, man	5 00	
Ernest Colprit, man & truck	1 35	
Harold Jones, man & truck	4 05	
E. L. Miles, man & truck	11 40	
Lorenzo Milton, man	5 00	
George A. Sargent, man	2 20	
Etalo Cecchetti, man	60	
Clayton Dodge, man	3 40	
Walter Colprit, man	60	
	—$	36 30

March 8—Plowing and sanding crossings

John H. Sanders, man & plow	36 00
Harold Jones, man & plow	21 00
Harold Jones, man and truck	1 35
Ernest Colprit, man & plow	18 00

Lorenzo Milton, man	5.40	
Nelson Bolstridge, man	3.00	
Clayton Dodge, man	3.60	
Walter Colprit, man	4.20	
George A. Sargent, man	4.00	
	——$	96.55

March 22—Filled wash outs, posted roads, plowing and sanding, plow remodeled for Hopey truck

John Sanders, man and plow	3.00	
John Sanders, man and truck	3.15	
John Sanders, man	1.80	
Harold Jones, man and plow	3.00	
Harold Jones, man and truck	1.15	
Austin Hopey, man and truck	10.80	
Lorenzo Milton, man	.40	
Etalo Cecchetti, man	1.80	
Geo. A. Sargent, man	1.40	
	——$	26.50

March 29—Plowed back drifts and shoveling

John Sanders, man and plow	18.00	
Austin Hopey, 3rd. man & plow	8.00	
Geo. A. Sargent, man	2.40	
Walter Colprit, man	1.60	
Etalo Ceccheti, man	.40	
Harold Jones, man and plow	3.00	
	——$	33.40

Apr. 26—Taking in snow fences

John H. Sanders, man and truck	7.20	
Irving Hayes, man	3.20	
	——$	10.40

Nov. 29—Plowing, sanding and pulling up snow fences

John H. Sanders, man and plow	25 50	
John H. Sanders, man and truck	5 85	
Austin Hopey, 3rd., man & plow	20 00	
Austin Hopey, Jr., man	4 00	
Edwin Lindsay, man	5 60	
Geo. A. Sargent, man	1 40	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	1 80	
Harry Locke, man	1 40	
George Tibbetts, man	1 40	
James Tibbetts, man	1 40	
Wm. Freeman, man	1 40	
	$	69 75

Dec. 6—Snowfences, sanding, plowing, sand put in shed

John H. Sanders, man and plow	60 00	
John H. Sanders, man and truck	8 10	
Austin Hopey, 3rd., man & truck	39 00	
Harold Jones, man and plow	9 75	
Harold Jones, man and truck	1 35	
Harry Locke, man	1 20	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	1 20	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	2 00	
Wm. Freeman, man	1 20	
Edwin Lindsay, man	12 40	
Austin Hopey, Jr., man	4 00	
Wm. McCabe, man	3 80	
Albert Hayes, man	1 40	
	$	145 40

Dec. 13—Plowing and sanding

John H. Sanders, man and plow	3 00	
John H. Sanders, man and truck	2 25	
Harold Jones, man and truck	2 70	

Edwin Lindsay, man	1 40	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	3 00	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	1 20	
	——————$	13 55
Dec. 20—Sanding		
John Sanders, man and truck..	12.15	
Austin Hopey, 3rd, man & truck	18.45	
Harold Jones, man and truck	6.75	
Edwin Lindsay, man	5 40	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	5 40	
George Tibbetts, man	4.20	
Wm. McCabe, man	8.20	
	——————$	60 55
1941, Jan. 3—Sanding Dube and Cote Rds., Mill Hill		
John Sanders, man and truck	1.80	
Austin Hopey, 3rd, man & truck	6.98	
Austin Hopey, Jr., man	1.20	
Wm. McCabe, man	1.90	
Edwin Lindsay, man	80	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	.40	
	——————$	13 08
Jan. 10—Sanding and plowing		
John H. Sanders, man and plow	85 50	
John H. Sanders, man and truck	1 80	
Austin Hopey, 3rd., man & plow	62 00	
Harold Jones, man and plow	27 00	
Harold Jones, man and truck	5 85	
Edwin Lindsay, man	15.40	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	7.40	
Leon Jones, man	1.00	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	6 40	
Etalo Cecchetti, man	40	
Wm. McCabe, man	12 40	
	——————$	225 15

Jan. 17—Plowing, sanding, shoveling drifts		
John H. Sanders, man and plow	55 50	
John H. Sanders, man and truck	90	
Harold Jones, man and plow	19 50	
Austin Hopey, 3rd., man & plow	44 00	
Geo. L. Sargent, man	5.00	
Edwin Lindsay, man	12.40	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	7.80	
James Tibbetts, man	5.20	
Russell Ross, man	4.40	
William McCabe, man	8 80	
	$	163 50
Jan. 24—Pushing back snow, cleaning school yard, shoveling Daily road		
John Sanders, man and plow	18.00	
Harold Jones, man and truck	4.95	
Edwin Lindsay, man	2.40	
Geo. Tibbetts, man	2.20	
Wm. McCabe, man	2.00	
	$	29 55
Jan. 31—Plowing back and sanding		
John Sanders, man and plow	57 00	
John Sanders, man and truck	1 80	
Austin Hopey, 3rd, man & plow	56.00	
Harold Jones, man and plow	19 50	
George Tibbetts, man	3.80	
Edwin Lindsay, man	9 00	
Etalo Cecchetti, man	.40	
Wm. McCabe, man	9.20	
Austin Hopey, Jr., man	2.00	
	$	158 70
	$	1,538 10

Detail 9—TOWN WELFARE

Dr. McGregor, services, Mrs. Baker	$ 43 00	
Rockingham Farmers' Mut. Ins. Baker house insurance	11 60	
George L. Horr, care Mr. Baker	28 00	
J. H. Seavey, lock for Baker property	67	
Nelson Bolstridge, transportation A. Guptill to County farm	2 00	
Dr. Lundin, services to A. Guptil	13 00	
Dr. O'Hara, services to A. Guptil	2 00	
Annie F. Hooper, clothing, tobacco, medical supplies, Guptil	19 65	
John H. Rowe, supplies, Guptil	22 68	
George Whitehouse, rep. glasses, Guptil	1 00	
George A. Sargent, transportation A. Guptil, So. Berwick to Newmarket	3 00	
Delano Convalescent Home, supplies A. Guptil	2 70	
Strafford County Farm, board, Mrs. Fuller to July 1, 1940	129 42	
Dover Children's Home, board, Fuller boys, 3 months	90 00	
Exeter Hospital, board, Eunice Hayes	28 00	
Dr. McGregor, operating & care Eunice Hayes	50 00	
Dr. Colly, assist'g Eunice Hayes	5 00	
Dr. Montgomery, assist. Eunice Hayes	10 00	
Wentworth Hospital, board Mrs. Harry Locke	35 00	
Cancer Commission, services for Mrs. Harry Locke	58 07	
		$ 554 79

Detail 10—COUNTY WELFARE

State of N. H. Welfare

Old Age assistance, balance to Jan. 31, 1940	$ 37 00	
Old Age assistance Jan. 31, 1940 to Jan. 1, 1941	275 55	
		$ 312 55

Recipients: Rosanna Curry, Grace Fuller, Arthur Guptill, Harry Locke, Peter Nilsen.

Detail 11—PARKS

Wm. Sanders, mowing & cleaning park	8 00	

Detail 12—PUBLICITY

Seacoast Regional Development Association appropriation, '39	30 00	

Detail 13—INTEREST

Strafford Nat'l Bank	100 55	
County Tax interest	5 49	
		$ 106 04

Detail 14—STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

Bal. due on 1939 project	167 36	
Appropriation 1940	247 98	
		$ 415 34

Detail 15—INDEBTEDNESS PAYMENTS

Strafford Nat'l Bank, principal of note	4,000 00	

Detail 16—PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNTAL DIVISIONS

County treasurer, 1940 tax	1,960 86	

Detail 17—SCHOOL DISTRICT

School Treaurer, on appropriations	4,745 87	
Total disbursements		$ 15,786 03
Total receipts		16,093 72
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1941 (as Feb. 11)		$ 307 69

ANNABELLE F. SARGENT,

Treasurer.

RICHARD HALE,
LEEMAN B. WORMHOOD,
ELOI A. ADAMS,

Selectmen.

We have examined the foregoing accounts and have found them to be correctly cast and properly vouched.

THOMAS J LATON,
W. E. CLARK,

Auditors.

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

LITERARY FUND, STRAFFORD SAVINGS BANK

Principal, January 31, 1940		$ 289 73		
Dividend, January 2, 1941		5 72		
			$	295 45
Int. withdrawn, paid schools	29.12			
Cost of advertisement lost pass book	2.00			
		31 12		
			$	264 33

ANNABELLE F. SARGENT,

Treasurer.

JENKINS CEMETERY TRUST FUND AT STRAFFORD SAVINGS BANK

Principal, Jan. 31, 1940		$ 278 53		
Dividend Jan. 2, 1941		5 56		
			$	284 09

IRA V. CAVERLY,
HAROLD HAYES,
LEVI HAMEL,

Trustees.

REPORT OF SCHOOL TREASURER

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand July 1, 1939		$ 46 57
Received from Town Treasurer:		
On appropriations	$ *4,962 47	
Dog licenses	83 40	
Received from State Treasurer:		
State Aid	376 30	
		$ 5,422 17
Total credits		$ 5,468 74
Paid School Board orders		5,462 90
Cash balance July 1, 1940		$ 5 84

Detail of appropriation payments:

Balance due 1938-39	$ 207 55	
Appropriated 1939-40	3,767 47	
Appropriated deficit High School tuition	800 00	
	$ 4,775 02	
Overdrawn	187 45	
		$ *4,962 47

ANNABELLE F. SARGENT,

Treasurer.

FINANCIAL REPORT
and
LIST OF EXPENDITURES
of the
MADBURY SCHOOL DISTRICT
1939-1940

Salaries of District officers	$ 45 00	
Superintendent's excess salary	111 67	
Administration	49 33	
Teachers' salaries	1,700 00	
Text books	72 91	
Scholar's supplies	31 46	
Other expenses of instruction	3 44	
Janitor service	22 00	
Fuel	139 13	
Water, light and janitor supplies	43 78	
Minor repairs and expenses	84 49	
Medical inspection	98 19	
Transportation	417 00	
H. S. Tuition	2,370 00	
Elementary tuition	124 00	
New equipment	2 50	
Per Capita tax	148 00	
		$ 5,462 90

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Salaries of District Officers

Annabelle F. Sargent, district treasurer	$ 10 00
Florence G. Rowe, dist. clerk	5 00

Eloi A. Adams, member of school board	10.00	
Stella P. Wentworth, member of school board	10 00	
Clarence G. Felker, member of school board	10.00	
	$	45 00
Superintendent's Excess Salary		
Mrs. J. Herbert Willey, treas.	111 67	
Administration		
Somersworth School Dept., letterheads and envelopes	$ 1.95	
Mary E. Flanagan, clerk superintendent's office	3.22	
Edson C. Eastman, school vouchers	12.23	
Howard L. Winslow, to share R.R. expenses to N.E.A.	8.00	
Somersworth School Dept., printing 500-3c envelopes	1.37	
Mary M. Spellman, Superintendent's office	22.56	
	$	49 33
Teachers' Payroll		
Blanche S. Boucher	$ 850 00	
Mabel W. Thomas	850 00	
	$	1,700 00
Text Books		
Central Specialties Co.	$ 1 73	
Charles E. Merrill Co.	5.21	
Scott, Foresman & Co.	8 57	
Somersworth School Dept., 7 spellers	2.59	
The John C. Winston Co.	7 18	

Charles Scribner's Sons		11 39	
Webster Publishing Co.		8 10	
Continental Press		1 55	
Ginn & Co.		19 18	
Row, Peterson & Co.		5 18	
Arlo Publishing Co.		2 23	
		$	72 91

Scholars' Supplies

The Papercrafters	$	4 55	
Gledhill Bros.		23 27	
Scott, Foresman & Co.		1 21	
Laidlaw Bros.		65	
Howard L. Winslow		63	
Somersworth School Dept.		1 15	
		$	31 46

Other Expenses of Instruction

J. L. Hammett Co., 1 doz. ink-wells; 2 ink vents	3 44	

Janitor Service

Raymond Ross, 22 weeks at $1.00 per week	22 00	
Wallace Sanders, cutting 1 7/8 pine limbs	1 50	
Wallace Sanders, fitting 1 cd. wood	1 00	
E. J. York, 4040 lb. rice coal	19 19	
E. J. York, 4030 lb. rice coal	19 14	
E. J. York, 3960 lb. buckwheat coal, Center School	18 81	
E. J. York, 4150 lb. rice coal	19 24	
Mrs. Henry Felker, 2 cd. pine, North School	5 50	
Mrs. Henry Felker, 2 cd. pine, limbs, North School	2 76	

Joseph Cole, 2½ cords hard wood for North School at $9. per cord	22.50	
Frank Lock, sawing 2½ cds. wood	2.50	
William Fernald, 1½ cords wood, North School	13.50	
Paul Verrette, sawing ½ cord wood	1.50	
Lyman F. Norton, 2 cords elm wood at $6. per cord	12.00	
	$	139.13

Water, Light and Janitor Supplies

A.P.W. Paper Co., Vogue tissue	4.13	
Twin State Gas & Electric Co.	34.92	
Archie L. Jacques, 28 toilet tissue	1.00	
Central Feed & Grain Co., acid phosphate	1.00	
Central Feed & Grain Co., 1 small broom	.45	
Durham School Dist., soap	1.50	
J. Herbert Seavey, 2 bottles Old English window cleaner and sprayers	.78	
	$	43.78

Minor Repairs and Expenses

Ida F. Pratt, cleaning school house	7.20	
Alfred Thomas, 4 days labor at Central & North Schools	12.00	
Alfred Thomas 3/4 day labor on Central School driveway	2.25	

Alfred Thomas, 1 day shingling patchwork on Central School woodshed		3 00
J. Herbert Seavey, 1 doz. coat and hat hooks		30
J. H. Seavey, 5 gal. floor oil		2.25
J. H. Seavey, 5 gal. can		1 00
J. H. Seavey, 1 gal. Satin Sheen paint		3.45
J. H. Seavey, 1 pt. turpentine		15
J. H. Seavey, 1 2⅛ in. brush		85
J. H. Seavey, field fence		6.00
J. H. Seavey, glass, putty, etc.		1.06
Austin L. Calef, 1 glass 9x16		25
Austin L. Calef, 2 glass 16x32		70
Austin L. Calef, points		05
Austin L. Calef, putty		10
Austin L. Calef, 15 in. boards		53
Austin L. Calef, putty		10
R. L. Williams, labor on damaged windows on upper No. side		
Replacing glass in West side. Work on doors		6.00
Repair work (Nov. 14)		1.25
Repair work (Nov. 18)		1.50
Work on lock		1.00
Edward E. Babb & Co., grate for heater, No. 520		4.00
Freight for same		1.11
1 ashpit door for heater, No. 520		2.84
Geniesse Manufacturing Co., 2 doz. boxes stars	$	1.80
E. J. York, shingles		2 50
E. J. York, nails		15

E. J. York, 3 rolls 1 ply tomahawk roofing	3 75	
E. J. York, 100 laths	60	
John H. Sanders, No. School, labor 3 hrs.	1 80	
John H. Sanders, No. School, labor, 2 hrs.	1 20	
Detail of work—measured glass for window, went to Dover for glass, putty, 3 rolls of roofing paper, laths, and nails. Put on paper, set light of glass, made 2 "buttons" and put "hasp" on woodshed door, hauled gravel from Townhouse shed to bank around lower part of paper. Sand to be used in Spring to good advantage in No. School yard.		
Lorenzo R. Milton, 5 hrs. labor—helping on above	2 00	
Howard L. Winslow, Jan. 18, 1940, to repair clock	75	
D. A. Hayes, cleaning vaults	10 00	
George A. Sargent, 2½ hrs. clean'g & fix'g stove funnel	1 00	
	$	84 49

Medical Inspection

Margaret Macdonald, nurse $	96 75	
G. W. Nutter, 2 rolls plaster	38	
G. W. Nutter, 2 rolls bandage	20	
G. W. Nutter, 2 tubes unguentine	86	
	$	98 19

Transportation

Nelson G. Bolstridge	$ 296 00	
Ernest Colprit	10 00	
Durham School District	74 00	

Saul Cote		37.00	
			$ 417 00
*Hight School Tuition			
City of Dover, School Dept.	$ 2,370 00		
**Elementary School Tuition			
City of Dover, School Dept.		50.00	
Durham School District		74 00	
			$ 124 00

* Rate of Tuition $100.00 per year
**Rate of Tuition $50.00 per year

New Equipment

Somersworth School Dept., to material for book case at No. Madbury	$	2 50
Per Capita Tax		
F. Gordon Kimball, State Treasurer	$	148 00

School Board's Estimate for 1941-1942

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Support of Schools

	Elementary Schools
Teachers' salaries	$ 1,800 00
Text books	70.00
Scholars' supplies	70 00
Flags and appurtenances	10 00
Other expenses of instruction	5.00
Janitor service	20.00
Fuel	150 00
Water, light, janitors' supplies	35.00
Minor repairs and expenses	135.00
Health Supervision (medical inspection)	85 00

Transportation of pupils	300.00	
Payment of element. tuitions	108.00	
Other special activities	25.00	
		$ 2,813 00

Other Statutory Requirements

Salaries of district officers (fixed by district)	$ 45 00	
Truant officer and school census (fixed by district)	1 00	
Payment of Tuition in High Schools and Academies (est. by board)	1,360 00	
Superintendent's excess salary (fixed by supervisory union)	111 67	
Per Capita tax (report of State Treasurer)	136 00	
		$ 1,653 67
		$ 4,466 67

ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

State Aid (December 1940 allotment)	375 00	
Dog tax (estimate)	10 00	
Income from Trust funds (est.)	6 63	
		$ 391 63
Assessment required to bal. school board's budget		$ 4,055 04
Special appropriation proposed		
New toilet facilities at North School	$ 350 00	
		$ 350 00
		$ 4,405 04

STELLA P. WENTWORTH,
E. P. CAMPBELL,

School Board.

Madbury, January 29, 1941.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS IN MADBURY, N. H.

To the School Board and Citizens of Madbury:

This is the twelfth annual report which I have submitted. The report of the Nurse, Miss Margaret Macdonald of Newmarket, accompanies mine.

The statistics are for the school year ending in June, 1940. Please note in the table of Comparative Statistics that the total number of children enrolled was less than in any of the last ten years. I regret to say that the per cent of attendance was the lowest and the number of tardinesses the greatest. This poor record, however, was not due to the schools as a whole but to lack of cooperation on the part of a very few parents. I am pleased to say that the report this year will probably be much better. I have only praise for the work of our teachers and our nurse. They deserve the support of everyone.

Last spring term both of our teachers attended a course of sixteen lectures, given by Dr. Payson Smith of Harvard and this fall term Miss Boucher has attended sixteen more given at Dover High School by Prof. Linwood Chase, of Boston University. This shows good professional spirit.

Following the suggestion made in my last report the School Board has caused the two schools to be more equal numerically by transferring the transported pupils from the North to the Center School. This was done with a minimum of friction and I wish to thank those parents who so willingly made the transfer. At present the Center School enrolls sixteen pupils and the North School twenty.

We are printing the names of those who were in

Dover High School for the Fall term of 1940 in order that the citizens may see who are benefitting from the School District. The High School tuition rate this year has been lowered from $100 to $91 and a further reduction will be made next year.

We are expecting surplus products to be provided by the W P A to help in furnishing hot lunches for those who remain at the schools during the noon hour. One of the problems is to provide enough water for washing dishes and for cooking in addition to the amount used used for drinking. At the North School in September, only one pail of water a day could be spared to the school because of low water in the wells of the community.

The School Board found it necessary to spend more for repairs than the special appropriation called for. The law gives them the power, however, to expend not over five per cent of the budget in addition to the special appropriation for repairs. The balance from last year together with the Literary Fund, which was not otherwise expended, will enable them to just about keep within their budget.

The sanitary arrangements at both schools will have to be improved next summer. The old earth toilets are inadequate and should not be tolerated. We do our best to keep them clean and sweet but it it often impossible.

At the Center School we are recommending as we have done before, the building of an entry at the door.

As I write these lines we are again preparing to give the Metropolitan Achievement tests. The results of previous years have shown that our schools reach a reasonable standard. No pupil failed in the Standard Graduation tests of last June. In some respects our graduates are handicapped when they enter a large city high school, but they usually possess that quality which makes them overcome difficulties and "make good."

The School Board have faithfully held monthly meetings throughout the calendar year.

In October a Rural Teachers Institute was held at the Church with a dinner at the Town Hall, furnished by the ladies of the church. Everybody stayed and enjoyed the dinner and I am sorry that they did not make more money from their efforts. I want to extend to them the thanks of the State Department of Education.

We thank the Grange for giving each school an electric clock. Our thanks are also given to this organization, the Ladies Aid, the Men's Club and the Red Cross for making possible a Community Christmas tree and for furnishing money to continue the dental clinic.

Respectfully submitted,

HOWARD L. WINSLOW,

Superintendent of Schools.

COMPARATIVE STATISTICS

	1931		1932		1933		1934		1935	
	C.	N.	C.	N.	C.	N.	C.	N.	C.	N.
Different pupils enrolled	34	30	31	33	36	30	33	30	34	31
Number of tardy marks	48	32	9	11	15	13	15	18	7	24
Per cent of attendance	94	86	96	96	94	96	93	94	97	96
Visits of superintendent	30	30	30	27	36	36	35	35	31	29
Visits of school nurse	17	13	14	17	18	18	18	13	10	9

	1936		1937		1938		1939		1940	
	C.	N.	C.	N.	C.	N.	C.	N.	C.	N.
Different pupils enrolled	28	28	32	27	29	27	22	26	10	25
Number of tardy marks	9	39	6	8	15	36	20	9	42	33
Per cent of attendance	95	97	98	98	97	98	96	96	92	95
Visits of superintendent	32	30	32	29	31	25	30	27	28	26
Visits of school nurse	13	18	23	9	15	10	14	15	12	20

MADBURY PUPILS PERFECT IN ATTENDANCE
North School, 1939-40

	No. of terms
Mildred Fullington	4
Claire Levasseur	3
Lionel Martel	3
Maurice Martel	3
Williard Sanders	3
Claire Martel	3
Julia Fernald	2
Leon Fernald	2
Barbara Hanscom	2
Priscilla Hale	2
Warren Knibbs	2
Anita Martel	2
Robert Bodycote	2
Lorraine Levasseur	2
Raymond Ross	1
Wallace Sanders	1
Samuel Hanscom	1
Harvey Fullington	1
Richard Hale	1

Martha Pigeon	1
Melvin Pigeon	1
Vern Varney	1
Francis Levasseur	1
Marjorie Norman	1
Ruth Varney	1

Center School

Mildred Pratt	4
Donald Pratt	2
Alfred Thomas	1
Eunice Hayes	1
Janice Sanders	1
Mabel Canney	1

Dover High School
Fall 1940-1941

	Grade
Baxter, Avis	12
Bodycote, Ade	12
Bodycote, Robert	9
Canney, Ruth	10
Colprit, Philip	10
Cote, Blanche	10
Day, Jane	10
Dewhirst, William	10
Fullington, Margaret	12
Fullington, Mildred	9
Hayes, Benjamin	10
Hayes, Lillian	10
Heikel, Gladys	11
Jones, Albert	10
Martel, Anita	9
Lupien, Yvette	9
Lupien, Irene	9
Osepchook, Arthur	11

Rowe, Arlene	12
Sanders, Wallace	9
Snow, Donald	11
Wormhood, Leeman	12

REPORT OF MADBURY SCHOOL NURSE

January, 1940—January, 1941

To Members of the School Board and Superintendent of Schools in Madbury:

Pupils examined—physical	40
Class room	140
Individual	169
Defects:	
Teeth	12
Tonsils and breathing	3
Excluded:	
Impetigo	5
Swollen glands	1
Treatments	8
Correction	
Vision	3
Dental Clinic	10
School visits, North	21
Center	20

As we were unable to procure dental equipment as in former years the dental clinic was held at the office of Dr. Manning in Newmarket. The Clinic was sponsored by the Men's Club, the Grange and the Red Cross.

Respectfully submitted,

MARGARET MACDONALD, R. N.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS, 1940

BIRTHS

February 21, 1940

Richard William Lewis, son of Walter Frederick Lewis and Bessie Louise Proctor.

March 31, 1940

Martha Jane Varney, daughter of Carroll Hall Varney and Marion Esther Norman.

April 24, 1940

Gladys Idella Pigeon, daughter of Moses Bab Pigeon and Fannie Ethel Wiley.

May 30, 1940

Barrett Richard Price, son of Edward Llewellyn Price and Rose Alice Barrett.

June 11, 1940

Freeman Ricker Goodrich, son of Stanley Raymond Goodrich and Carolyn Hyde Ricker.

September 10, 1940

John Hayes Sanders, son of John Hayes Sanders and Mina Mildred Forrest.

September 19, 1940

Donald Francis Cote, son of Joseph Napoleon Cote and Evelyn McIntire.

November 23, 1940

Eugene Raymond Canney, son of father name not given and June Estelle Canney.

MARRIAGES

December 14, 1940

Alfred William Baxter, Madbury, N. H. and Leota Luverne Davis, Dover, N. H., by Rev. Raymond Lee Hall, ordained Congregational clergyman, Dover, N. H.

DEATHS

Febrary 10, 1940

Charles H. Baker, son of Obed Baker, Brewster, Mass., annd Sally Witherall, Taunton, Mass. Aged 82 years, 0 months, 12 days.

April 18, 1940

Myrtie Sewall Durnin, daughter of Louis Cummings, Canada, and Elizabeth Rand, Durham, N. H. 51 years, 5 months, 0 days.

April 18, 1940

Lester A. Stone, son of Robert A. Stone, Gardner, Mass., and Mabel Pasno, Rindge, N. H. Aged 31 years, 1 month, 6 days.

MARGARET SOWERBY HODGDON

On September 7, 1940, at the Delano Convalescent Home in Newmraket, Margaret Sowerby Hodgdon passed away following several months' illness. She was born at Cumberland, England, the daughter of Thomas W. and Deborah (Davidson) Sowerby but came to Dover, N. H. when a young lady. On August 16, 1915, she married George Wilbur Hodgdon and came to Madbury to live.

Mrs. Hodgdon led a very quiet though useful life. Her close circle of friends may well remember her by her unimpeachable honesty and integrity.

ANNA BELLE TIBBETTS

Anna Belle Tibbetts, widow of Frank Eli Tibbetts, passed away on September 24, 1940, following a short illness. Mrs. Tibbetts was born at Barrington on May 10, 1877, the daughter of Thomas and Clarinda (Richardson) McRae. She married Frank Eli Tibbetts in 1897 and they lived together,—until Mr. Tibbetts' death in December, 1931, at the old homestead, the Ebenezer Demerritt House.

Mrs. Tibbetts was the mother of ten children, Anna M., Alice I., Harold F., George E., Thomas M., Charles A., Henry F., William D., Kenneth I. and James M., all of which are now living.

A familiar figure in her garden surrounded by a gorgeous display of flowers, Mrs. Tibbetts will best be remembered. She was a Charter Member of Madbury Grange, No. 343, and had been a member of its executive board. Although quiet and retiring by nature, her kindly neighborly spirit will live in memory and many will regret her untimely passing.